

OCC – RECOVERY TRANSPORTATION WORKING GROUP

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COMMITTEE

WORK-TO-DATE

- 3/22 OCC meeting discussion – working group formed and initial considerations discussed
- Northern Borders Regional Commission Grant Opportunity
- 04/13 Working Group Meeting and Next Steps
 - Recommendations to the OCC
 - Submit grant application to RD
 - Ongoing Coordination and Data Collection

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I. Improve Recovery Transportation Coordination and Communication

- Regional coordination meetings between transit providers, agencies (DVHA, VTrans), recovery centers, and other local facilities providing services.
- Establish regional group for ongoing meetings to ensure proper coordination and communication.

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2. Obtain funds to provide more trips to those in recovery.
 - RD funds to purchase vehicles for those facilities who can use (and support) a vehicle.
 - Collect regional data for increased demand response service. Trip needs, existing capacity, and projected funding that can be used for a statewide solution. Transit providers, Aspentti, Recovery Centers and others to contribute. Data to be used for grants and other funding approaches.